

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:

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For: MEDIUM CONTAINING FLT3 LIGAND FOR
CULTURING HEMATOPOIETIC CELLS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

BOX SEQUENCE
Hon. Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicants request amendment of the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please add the following new claims:

2/26? 350. (New) A hematopoietic cell expansion media comprising cell growth media, flt3-ligand and G-CSF.

51. (New) A hematopoietic cell expansion media comprising cell growth media, flt3-ligand and GM-CSF.

52. (New) A hematopoietic cell expansion media comprising cell growth media, flt3-ligand and SF.

53. (New) A hematopoietic cell expansion media comprising cell growth media, flt3-ligand and EPO.

54. (New) A hematopoietic cell expansion media comprising cell growth media, flt3-ligand and a GM-CSF/IL-3 fusion protein.